



NILES Flier RECEIVES ARMY FLYING CROSS!

A Niles soldier now wears the Distinguished Flying Cross! His name is DAVID J. ROUSSEAU, well known at the Pacific States Steel plant where he resigned his employment to enlist in the Army Air Force immediately after the Pearl Harbor attack. He has been on combat duty in the Southwest Pacific area and recently was awarded the D. F. C. by Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenney, commanding the Allied Air Forces in that area, according to a notice published in a Houston, Texas newspaper.

He is a Master Sergeant and was given the award for extra-ordinary achievements in long-range bombing missions. A native of Kansas, he grew up in Houston and worked for the Southern Pacific company there before coming to Niles. His sister, Mrs. K. Imfeld lives at Dad's Place up Niles Canyon.

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HARRY CESARI HOME AFTER 27 MONTHS IN SOUTH PACIFIC

Storekeeper 2/c HARRY CESARI, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Cesari of Niles is home for the first time after 27 months service in the Navy, most of it spent in Australia.

He enlisted in September, 1941 after graduating from Washington High School and doing some studying at San Jose State College. He went through the Pearl Harbor attack on December 7 without serious injury, then was sent south and spent much time in Australia which he liked—but prefers his homeland to the continent "down under". The Australian girls like the American soldiers so well he anticipates there will be many American-Australian marriages.

He has two brothers in the Army—Cpl. MORGAN CESARI in Mississippi and Pvt. DAVID CESARI serving in a San Francisco command.

Australian people are very interested in American life and customs and would like to live here, he says.

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SMILIE FERRARI DUE HOME SOON

An airmail letter received by The Township Register from Pfc. SMILIE FERRARI of Niles, serving with a Coast Artillery Battery in the Aleutians, bears the following very good news:

"I would appreciate it very much if you would send The Register to my home address, Box 301, Niles, instead of to me here. The reason is that I now have completed two years of foreign service and expect to be treading upon the old familiar sidewalks of Niles in the very near future."

"Thank you again for services rendered. Sincerely, "Smilie Ferrari."

Welcome home, fellas! -Ye ed.

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WOMAN MARINE NOW ON FURLough

Marine Corps Corporal Marjorie Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Patterson, of Newark, recently was granted a furlough from Camp Elliott, San Diego, where she is stationed.

Corporal Patterson has two brothers in the service, Lieutenant Jack Patterson and Lieutenant David Patterson, both in the Army.

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Pvt. JOSEPH HOWARD HENRY, son of Mrs. Hugh Henry of Irvington has been assigned to an artillery battery serving with the Marines somewhere in the Pacific. His brother S 1/c ROWEN HENRY who has been stationed with a Guard Signal School at Treasure Island has been sent out to sea with a Navy Communications Service. Both men receive their mail care the Fleet Postoffice at San Francisco, their mother advises this office.

Petty Officer 3/c BERNARD GREEN is visiting his sister Marian and other relatives at Niles on a 30 day furlough from 13 months of submarine duty in the Pacific. He reports back to San Francisco at the end of his furlough here.

Pvt. WALTER J. CUNHA of Centerville, serving with an Anti-AirCraft gun battalion, who trained at Santa Maria, California and who was recently moved with his outfit to Camp Cooke, California has been sent overseas to the European area and now receives his mail care an Army Postoffice at New York City.

Second Lieut. VIRGIL YOUNG,



GIVE!!

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PAPER PICK-UP DAY

This Sunday will be the second month-end paper and cardboard collection day in Niles when the local Boy Scout Troop with the aid of a donated truck will call door-to-door for householders' accumulation of newspapers, magazines and waste cardboard. Please have your donations securely tied in bundles, place them on the curbs outside your homes early Sunday morning—and the Scouts will do the rest!

Business houses should call Scoutmaster Duffie to have their "piles" picked up Saturday, and out-of-town residents who cannot bring their "loads" to the Scout-house at the end of Third street should phone Mr. Duffie at Niles 4506 or Committeeman Lewis Lewis at Niles 4567 and their bundles will be picked up.

Thanks in advance! say Uncle Sam and the Niles Scouts.

TOWNSHIP NEARS QUOTA IN RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

Patriotic citizens of Washington Township as a whole, notwithstanding income tax payments recently made, have given 70 percent of their quota in cash up to Wednesday of this week, Chairman R. A. Blacow of Niles is happy to announce, and pledges bring the total to 85 percent of our \$12,500 quota in the great annual Red Cross campaign.

The drive continues to March 31 and anyone who has not been contacted, who wishes to make a contribution to this great work should see their town chairman. Mr. Blacow anticipates the quota will be fully subscribed before the end of this month, because Washington Township always "comes through" in every patriotic appeal.

THERE IS AN HONEST MAN IN OUR TOWNSHIP!

The Ration Board at Niles was shocked, stunned, delighted and overjoyed all at once one day recently when a reissued A gas ration book was returned to the Board for cancellation by an Honest Citizen.

It seems that on March 6 an Irvington motorist reported the loss of an A book to the board, and requested that another book be issued, which the board did, with the understanding that if the lost book turned up it be returned to the board for cancellation.

The lost book turned up, the owner returned it to the board, the board cancelled the duplicated book, issued a Croix de Guerre with palm and silver star to the Honest Man—and the board has been purring contentedly ever since.

The Honest Man's name is T. E. McGowan. The staff at the Ration Board office says this is the first time an A gas book has ever been returned to their office for cancellation.

Jr., just commissioned as a pilot in the Army Air Corps is at Niles enjoying a 15 day furlough with his parents. He reports for duty at midnight of the 30th at Bakersfield.

Lieut. DEAN SATTERLEE, formerly employed by the California Nursery company at their Sacramento branch, had his picture on the front page of the second section of the San Francisco Examiner last Saturday, showing him descending from a bomber dubbed the "Bad Penny" as it returned from its 43rd successful mission over Germany. He joined the RAF back in 1941. He has many friends at Niles.

Lt. JOHN B. PATTERSON, serving with a C. R. T. C. squadron has finished his training at Fort Riley, Kansas, and has been sent overseas to the European area. He now receives his mail via an Army Postoffice care Postmaster, New York City, a card sent this office states.

MM 2/c PETER J. GILLI of Niles, serving at sea in the Atlantic has been promoted to Machinist's Mate 1/c and has had his mail address moved from the Fleet Postoffice, Key West, Florida to F. P. O., New York City, his wife notifies this office.

Pvt. HARRY J. FONTES of Niles, serving with a Field Artillery Observation Battalion has been transferred with his outfit from Fort Riley, Kansas to North Camp Hood, Texas, his wife advises this office.

The address of Cpl. EDWIN E. FREITAS of the Mission, who is serving with an Army Ordnance Company in the Pacific has been changed from APO 928 to APO 322 care Postmaster, San Francisco.

LIONS' CLUB HONOR ROLL NEARS COMPLETION

CENTERVILLE — Volunteers have completed most of the preliminary work on the Washington Township Honor Roll which is expected to be dedicated before the end of this month. Name plates for the approximately 800 Washington Township men and women in the armed services are now being lettered and will be installed during the coming week.

Cash contributions toward the construction and maintenance of the Honor Roll have been received from the following organizations and individuals: Niles Chamber of Commerce, Niles Rotary Club, Centerville Fire Department, Newark Fire Department, Washington Township Country Club, Irvington Air Raid Wardens, St. James Guild, Dallas Paul, Gabriel Botelho and Frank Madruga. Other organizations and individuals who wish to help finance this worthy project should send their contributions to the Centerville Lions Club.

The planning and organizational work for the Honor Roll has been directed by Joe Adams, Chairman of the Lions Club Citizenship Committee; Erle Hygeland, Secretary, A. E. Alameda, President of the Lions.

Carpenters who volunteered their services to build the structure are: R. A. Griffin, Arthur Cotton, Mervin Marshall, Gabriel Coit, Manuel Rose, Clark Bros. and H. Stinshiver, local painters, donated their services to paint the structure. L. S. Williams, P. C. Hansen Co., and Joe Adams, Inc. donated manpower, equipment and materials to fill, level, clean and gravel the premises.

The California Nursery Co. has volunteered to landscape the premises and the Centerville Water District has piped water to the project and agreed to donate whatever water is needed to maintain the grounds. The Centerville Boy Scouts will water the grounds and mow the lawn.

The Centerville Lions Club wishes to express its sincere appreciation to all of the individuals and organizations who have contributed generously of their time and money to erect the Washington Township Honor Roll.

COLUMBIA GRILL OPEN EVENINGS

The Columbia Grill at Niles, recently purchased by Miss Lulu Mezza and Burlia James, which has been renovated and redecorated is now open evenings from 5 to 9 p. m. Next week, when their cook situation has been arranged they will be open daily from 6 a. m. ready to serve the hungry public with anything from a sandwich to a full dinner.

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— The Hayward Journal

RATION BOARD FINDS GROCERS COMPLYING WELL

Four members of the staff of the Niles Ration Board and 11 volunteer workers completed their check on Tuesday and Thursday of last week of 46 grocers and butcher shops in Washington Township to ascertain their degree of compliance with OPA regulations.

They found no cases of deliberate violations, but found instead a fine spirit of cooperation manifested by the proprietors who in every case wanted to do the right thing. The owners were glad to correct any minor infractions of regulations which had occurred through carelessness rather than by intention.

Board officials say that officers of boards in larger centers are amazed at the fine spirit of cooperation shown throughout the rural districts, where independent business people hold their customers their personal friends and are more than willing to comply with the government's war-time regulations.

A tour of inspection of Township restaurants and eating places will be undertaken soon, board of officials at Niles state.

'COT GROWERS TO COMBAT SLASH IN 1944 PRICE

HAYWARD — Apricot growers of Southern Alameda county organized Tuesday of last week to combat a \$25 reduction in the ton price to producers, announced recently in Washington. Minimum price to be paid by processors has been tentatively set at \$85, in comparison with the \$110 figure of last year.

Naming M. J. Bernardo, Centerville, as chairman, the growers elected George Goodale as secretary, and named committee including Loren Eden, Ben Manter, George Lowrie, Charles Long Jr., George Silva, Vincent Russo, William Valente, Thomas Brenkowitz, Joseph Russo, J. J. Smith and A. J. Garin.

Telegrams were ordered sent to Washington officials of the OPA and other government agencies involved protesting that the \$85 price would be ruinous in the face of tremendously increased costs of production. The group also approved resolutions advocating stabilization of wages for picking and other orchard operations.

— The Hayward Journal

CLASS IN NUTRITION TO MEET IN NEWARK

NEWARK — The Red Cross nutrition class will meet at the Newark grammar school each Thursday afternoon from 1:30 to 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. S. G. Scott will direct the 10 weeks course, free to the public.

A class in clothing renovation and general sewing is also being organized, those interested to contact Mrs. Scott.

1c TAX PER NICKEL

The revenue tax bill which becomes effective this Sunday, March 26 doubles the rate on admissions not only to established places of amusement like show houses, but to all public entertainments. Hereafter if your club gives a card party or dance and you have your tickets printed (by The Township Register, we hope) instead of bearing a 4c tax on say, a 40c admission charge, it will bear an 8c tax. There will now be a 1c tax on each nickel of admission charged. If your club wishes to charge (and retain) 50c for admission to a dance or card party your tickets will read: "Admission 50c, tax 10c total 60c." Your club's remittance to the Collector of Internal Revenue after the dance or card party will hereafter require twice as much tax. Just figure 10c on each nickel charged; it's easy to figure. And there are no exemptions from these taxes, even for Churches, Scouts, Fire Departments or other non-profit organizations. Our government needs the money! — The Editor.

NEW POSTAL RATES GO INTO EFFECT THIS SUNDAY

The new postal rates called for by the tax bill recently passed by Congress and signed by the President go into effect this coming Sunday, March 26 and the following increases will be effective at Niles, Postmaster Ed Enos states, as well as at other Township Post-offices:

"Letter drop", meaning letters mailed in Niles to be distributed to boxholders living in Niles, remains at 1c per ounce or fraction thereof.

Letters mailed on the rural route for Niles or other points, or letters mailed in Niles for delivery to rural route boxholders advances from 2c to 3c per letter; the same rate as between-city letters now require.

Airmail to soldiers serving anywhere outside the continental United States remains at 6c per half ounce as at present, but domestic airmail between points within the United States, whether to men in service or to civilians, advances to 8c per half ounce or fraction thereof.

Airmail between civilians in the United States and its insular possessions like Hawaii or Alaska remains at 6c.

Parcel post rates advance a minimum of 1c per parcel; money order charges and parcel post insurance rates advance a few cents each. Registered mail fees jump 5c and up and C. O. D. charges are doubled. We have a war to pay for!

FARM CENTER HOLDS FRUIT PRICE MEET

CENTERVILLE — Apricot prices and the feed situation for 1944 were topics of discussion at Tuesday night's meeting of the Eden-Washington Union High School at 8 o'clock.

Richard Smith, chairman of the California State Feed Committee, and M. J. Bernardo, apricot grower were the speakers.

NILES GROUP ENJOYS HEARING SHERIFF SPEAK

Sheriff H. B. Gleason as speaker of the evening presented a fascinating account of the use of two-way radio as a law-enforcement aid, addressing 30 members and guests of the Niles Men's Fellowship club, meeting Thursday night, March 16 in the Guildrooms with Fred Duffie presiding.

He said his Chief Radio Technician C. B. McMurphy installed the first two-way radio used by his department back in 1933, in the city of Alameda, and had since built all the sets now in use. Their present main sending and receiving set is so powerful a former member of his department, serving in the Hawaiian Islands now picks up their messages every night.

He then sent his host, Deputy Sheriff Henry Vervais cruising around Niles, with G. D. Mapet as his companion and they sent and received while driving along the Niles streets.

Car Stealing Leads

He said that car stealing throughout the seven Bay Region counties in pre-war days when cars could be bought and sold without restraint, and with all the gasoline to be had that drivers wanted, used to average 400 cases per month. Now, with car sales all but stopped and gasoline rigidly rationed he said this figure had climbed to 700 per month, with service men on leave as the chief offenders.

He said crime in Alameda County was recorded in the following order: car stealing the worst; then wife and child abandonment (by war workers coming in from the outside); then the usual crimes of robbery, murder and sex offenses.

He said juvenile delinquency in the unincorporated districts with their 100,000 population was appreciably less than in the incorporated cities where exposure and temptation were greater. The county's jail population is now higher than it had been in 10 years, he concluded.

The Sheriff also touched on the Japanese difficulties his office encountered in Southern Alameda County at the outbreak of the war, saying they picked up nine high-powered unlisted Japanese radio sets; apprehended an officer of the Black Dragon society living in a shack at Centerville, and a Lieutenant-Commander of the Japanese Navy living near the sheriff's sending station and a small roomful of fireworks, chiefly rockets and flares, found near the Oakland air port; also numbers of other Japanese and Germans known to have been conducting subversive activities.

Ensign Harold Morgenstern, stationed with a SeaBee battalion awaiting orders at Camp Shoemaker spoke, fascinatingly on his experiences with the Navy in the Alaska-Aleutian area and was invited to continue his talk at the next meeting on April 20, when Reverend D. Q. Grabill and President Duffie will furnish the program.

Excellent Dinner

The men greatly enjoyed a ham fresh rolls and pie and ice cream dinner prepared by the ladies of the Sanford Circle. The club unanimously voted a contribution of \$13.12 to the American Red Cross and also voted the same sum as an Easter offering to apply to retiring the Church building debt.

Members were asked to bring a cup of sugar each to the next meeting, to tide the club over the summer as the club's supply was exhausted. Members are regularly asked to bring such red tokens or meat and butter ration points as they can spare in order to take care of the monthly dinner supplies. Blue tokens are not needed.

Guests included E. D. Meeker, W. F. Lamoreaux, technician at the Kimber Poultry farm, recently from Cornell University; Technician McMurphy, G. D. Mapet, Mr. Lorenson and Ensign Morgenstern.

Mrs. Mary Barnard will entertain the members of her bridge club at the home of Mrs. Fred Stearns Friday afternoon, March 24.

Coming Events

SUNDAY
Niles Boy Scout monthly paper and cardboard collection day. Residents please place their bundles on their curbs.

TUESDAY
7 a. m. to 7 p. m. Alameda County Water District Election at community firehouses.

Thanks a Million . . . !

NILES LOCALS

J. Boyce Smith, former editor of The Township Register stopped in at Niles Sunday to say hello. He is working as an accountant in the office of the Permanent Corporation Yard No. 2 at Richmond and says he likes the work fine.

Reverend D. Q. Grubill, (a temporary "bachelor") and his Mother, Mrs. Dunlap; Daniel Marble (another "bachelor") and Henry Orrell were dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waynflete and family.

The Township Coordinating Council, meeting Wednesday noon in the high school cafeteria at Centerville heard an address on Rehabilitation of War Veterans presented by Edward T. Raun, rehabilitation representative of the State Board of Education.

The public speaking class at Washington High school went into

oratorical rhapsodies as they gave a surprise "baby shower" to their instructor Jack Rees an evening last week. His second child, Kent and his mother are expected home this week.

The next meeting of Necona Theta Rho Girls' Club No. 46 of Niles will be held Thursday evening March 23rd at Odd Fellows Hall, according to Vivian Griffith, president. The girls with their advisor, Mrs. Catherine R. Parry visited the U. S. Naval Hospital at Camp Shoemaker last Saturday afternoon. They carried cookies and other articles with them. While there they also visited the solarium furnished by the Niles Rebekah Lodge.

The next meeting of Niles Rebekah Lodge will be held Friday evening, April 7. Members will please be at the hall by 7:30 p. m. as after a short business meeting the lodge will visit Alvarado Rebekah Lodge, to join in the wel-

come to Mrs. Selina Keating on her official visit to that Lodge.

At a recent meeting of Niles Rebekah Lodge Mrs. Rose Stearns and Mrs. Catherine Parry were elected delegates to the Rebekah Assembly which convenes in Sacramento the second week in May.

The Niles Cafe, next door to Duarte's Food Store, which has been closed for about a year is reopening Saturday under the management of Socorro Valenzuela of Decoto, who plans to feature Spanish dishes.

A. W. Gorman, who lives on the former Snell estate in Niles is spending this week in Los Angeles on a business trip.

The S. E. S. Lodge No. 8 of Niles announces their annual Easter Ball will be held Saturday evening, April 8 at the Newark Pavilion with Union music by Russ Petersen and his orchestra. Make it a date for Easter eve!

Pfc. DAVID ESCOBAR, son of

MISSION SAN JOSE

Mrs. Lois Justus
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel K. Cross and family accompanied by Mrs. Elsie Wilcox, mother of Mrs. Lois Justus, motored to Redwood City to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Cross and family on Sunday where they enjoyed a double birthday supper. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cross both celebrated their birthdays that day. Mrs. Wilcox remained to spend several days with her son and family.

Mrs. Dora Connell of Camp Connell and Stockton spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of her sister in law, Mrs. Grace Meyers and family. She also visited relatives in Santa Clara and San Jose before returning home.

Pfc. DAVID ESCOBAR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Escobar spent 2/c on Sunday and had dinner and

a short furlough with his parents and sister, Miss Anna Mae Escobar at the Mission. He returned to Camp Polk, Louisiana one day last week. He is an M. P. at the camp.

One day last week the employees at the Los Amigos Winery, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayock, played hokey from work and pulled a surprise birthday party on Mrs. Frieda Frei. While Mrs. Mayock took Mrs. Frei to the house to show her the new kitchen sink, the rest of the gang put 53 candles on an enormous birthday cake. It was all a complete surprise to Mrs. Frei but she was pleased as well as excited. All the employees enjoyed the cake with her and every one enjoyed the party very much.

Lois Justus accompanied by Chief Petty Officer Tommy Corbett of San Bruno motored to San Jose where they picked up Miss Lorraine Rogers and another B. M.

attended the theatre later. Miss Lorraine Rogers has returned to her work at the San Jose Hospital, awaiting her call to the WAC's as a nurse. She cannot go into the WAC's until September.

Pvt. MELVIN CALLAHAN and wife, Elaine spent a couple of days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Callahan in the Mission. Melvin has been on maneuvers out of Camp Liggitt for some time. They returned to his post on Saturday morning.

Corp. TONY ROGERS of Camp Liggitt had a weekend pass which he spent with his sister Mrs. Emily Garcia and Miss Edith Rogers in the Mission. Tony was formerly stationed at Camp Carson, Colorado.

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Corn Del Monte, Golden or white, cr. sty. (8 pts.)—No. 2 can **14¢**

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Town House, Swt. & Unswt. (1 pt.)—No. 2 13¢ (3 pts.) 46-oz. can **29¢** Dromedary, Unswt. (3 pts.)—46-oz. can **29¢**

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LIVER Sliced Beef—Tender, Selected Livers (6 pts.)—Lb. **35¢**

BACON Fancy Eastern—By the Piece, Rind on (1 pt.)—Lb. **29¢**

SWIFT LARD Fancy Eastern—By the Piece, Rind on (1 pt.)—Lb. **29¢**

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BAKED FUDGE PUDDING 1 cup enriched flour 2 tbsp. melted shortening
2 tbsps. baking powder 1 cup coarsely chopped walnut
1/2 tsp. salt 1/2 cup sugar, firmly packed
5/8 tbsps. cocoa 1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1/2 cup milk 1 1/4 cups hot water

Sift and measure flour; sift with baking powder, salt, sugar and 1 1/2 tbsps. of the cocoa. Add milk, shortening, and nut meats; mix well. Spread into well-greased cake pan (8 x 8 x 2). Combine remaining cocoa and the brown sugar; while it cooks:

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RATION DATA

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PROCESSED FOODS—Blue stamps A8, B8, C8, D8, E8, Book 4, 10 points each, valid through May 20.

SUGAR: Stamps 30 in Book 4 good for five pounds of sugar, valid indefinitely; stamp 40 good for five pounds for home canning through February 28, 1945.

USED FATS—Each pound of waste fat is good for two meat ration points.

SHOES—Stamp 18, Book 1, expires April 30, "Airplane" stamp 1, Book 3, valid indefinitely.

GASOLINE—A coupon 11, 3 gallons each, valid through June 21; B, C coupons, 3 gallons each; B-2, C-2 coupons, 5 gallons each.

TIRE INSPECTIONS—A tires, March 31; B tires, June 30; C tires, May 31.

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**LOCAL CANNING
CENTERS MAY GET
U. S. ASSISTANCE**

SAN FRANCISCO—Schools, local governments, civic clubs, victory garden groups or similar organizations which sponsor community canning centers can now get technical assistance from the War Food Administration, according to Joseph C. Eyring, area supervisor for WFA's Office of Distribution.

The services of Ben H. Body and his assistant Bernice O. Redington will be available as consultants to any group interested in community canning. Mr. Body has been engaged in commercial cannery operation for many years, while Miss Redington is a graduate nutritionist with practical experience in food preservation.

"One means of effecting conservation and efficient use of our fresh fruit and vegetable production will be through locally sponsored canning centers when and where local surpluses may occur," Eyring said. "The Office of Distribution is ready to help these groups get started in their operations."

Information for sponsoring groups can be obtained at the area Office of Distribution, War Food Administration, 457 Phelan Bldg., San Francisco.

NEW TEACHER

Because of increased enrollment at the Niles Grammar school, now numbering about 400 pupils Mrs. Irma Boland, daughter of E. B. Hodges, principal of the Mission Grammar school has been elected to teach the fifth and sixth grades, Principal E. D. Bristow announces.

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IN DEAN'S LIST

BERKELEY—Mary Cattaneo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Cattaneo of Niles is a member of the recently published Dean's List of Armstrong College, Berkeley, comprising students who have maintained at least a B average in all their subjects. Mary, who is studying in the Business Management department, also had a leading role in Peggy Fernway's play, "Girls of the U. S. A." given recently at the college.

**BOARD AT NILES
WANTS ASSISTANTS
TO CHECK PRICES**

Men and women of this community, who have spare time and who are genuinely interested in the federal government's efforts to curb black-market operations and maintain price-ceiling compliance, are being recruited by the Niles OPA board, it was announced today by Chairman George A. Coit.

"We need these volunteers for our Price Control Committee which just recently has been granted added authority to deal directly with violators" Mr. Coit said.

"Now that the government has given the board not only the responsibility but the authority to take an effective part in the price control program, the board's price committee will need greater assistance from the public in surveying local price trends.

"These committee members, who will visit designated stores at regular intervals, will not be secret investigators in any sense of the words. They will be duly sworn in agents of the federal government and they will make known their identities with proper credentials.

"Further, they will be of valuable assistance to the merchants who are earnestly trying to comply with the complex requirements which war has imposed upon them.

"Their primary job will be to aid the honest merchant in every possible way to comply. They will bring needed information directly to the merchant, and they will assist in relaying his complaints to the local Board.

"At the same time, they will make periodical checks on the merchants who refuse to obey the laws under which others are expected to operate.

"In this, they will be doing no disservice to the honest merchant; they will, in fact, be assisting him as well as protecting the public at large."

Mr. George Coit said prospective committee members should either contact him, personally, or the Board's Price Clerk.

Mrs. Jennie Mohn will entertain the members of the Friendly Sewing Circle of the Rebekahs on Monday afternoon, April 10.



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**MORE FATHERS
BEING ACCEPTED
IN THE DRAFT**

A drastic change in the ratio of rejection of fathers given physical examination under the selective service program was noted at Draft Board No. 75 here this week. Out of 180 sent for pre-induction examination less than 50 were rejected as compared with 50 with 50 percent rejection at the first call for fathers.

Of the 180, fathers numbered 109. Practically no 3-A's are listed at the board, officials say, most of this group having been transferred to 2-A or 2-B, occupational classifications which may be changed at any time. The largest group on the books at present are the 1-AH, men over 38. Quotas for induction

BODY IDENTIFIED

HAYWARD—By means of fingerprints the sheriff's office identified the body of the dead man found floating on March 13 in a gravel plant pool near Niles as that of Anton Zeman, of 206 Alice street, Oakland. Sacramento had his prints on file as the result of his arrest on suspicion of burglary several years ago. An autopsy showed he had succumbed to strangulation before falling into the water from a tree upon which he had apparently hung himself. Authorities hold death to have been caused by suicide.

are met from a group made up largely of fathers, boys reaching the age of 18, a few re-classified from 4-F and those whose occupational deferment has expired.

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